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SEND THE ESTONIANS BACK?

The immigration service wants to send 84 Estonians, who
came here in small boats, back to Europe. It has asked the
state department to see if Sweden won't accept them.

They are refugees from Communist tyranny, and being
hardly enough to span the Atlantic in small craft, they should
make pretty good citizens.

There is a limit, of course, to how many people we can
take in from abroad, but today we allow about two hundred
thousand to get in yearly through holes in our immigration
barriers. Senator Eastland of Mississippi, who has done a good
deal of investigating of illegal immigration, claims this figure
is a reasonable one, and is supported by administrative
officials.

These illegal immigrants are on the whole the least de-
sirable people we could admit. They resort to bribery and all
kinds of trickery to get here.

It would cost a good deal of money to plug the leaks, but
it would be worth the cost. We have enough no-account peo-
ple in this country already. Let's see that those we admit have
some zeal for freedom and democracy; in short, that they are
people like our forefathers and like the Estonians who now
face removal.

Approximately one-fifth of the All presidents of the United States
30,000,000 school children in the were born in eastern or midwestern
United States have defective vision.

December Bride



EVA MAE STANSFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Stansfield of
Murrayville have announced the en-
gagement and approaching marriage
of their daughter, Eva Mae, to
Richard Morrow son of Mrs. Bea-
trice Morrow of Greenfield.

The wedding will take place Sun-
day, Dec. 19, at 2 p. m. in the Mur-
rayville Methodist church.

Collision Of Car
And Horse Results
In Damage Suit

Damages of \$1,000 to his car and
\$1,000 personal injury damages are
sought by Russell E. Blaine of Peoria
against Paul S. Black of near this
city, in a suit which went to trial
Monday morning in circuit court.

Blaine was driving on U. S. Route
67 on the evening of Jan. 11, 1948,
when his car collided with a horse
which the plaintiff claims was
owned by the defendant, and which
was running at large on the high-
way. The accident occurred three
and one-half miles north of this
city.

A jury was selected and sworn in
at 11 o'clock Monday morning, after
which introduction of evidence
started. Jurors are W. A. Kinnett,
Catherine J. Benson, John Thomas
Butler, Earl O. Mortimer, Lucy D.
Brainer, Freda Heaton, Burley Jones,
Tressa M. Green, Ray H. Birdsall,
Walter A. Brown, Velma Timmons
and W. D. Howe.

Blaine is represented by Attorneys
Orville Foreman and Theodore Ram-
mekamp. Black's attorneys are
Epler C. Mills and Myron Mills.

Miss Marie Long,
Charles G. Burrus
Wed In Lincoln

Miss Marie Long of Pekin, daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Long of
rural route two, Lincoln, and Char-
les G. Burrus, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Edgar J. Burrus, rural route one,
Arenville, were united in marriage
Wednesday, Dec. 1, in a two o'clock
ceremony which took place at the
First Christian church in Lincoln.

The vows were received by the
Rev. Earl C. Garborge, who officiated
at the single-ring rites. Attend-
ing the couple were Mr. and Mrs.
Eugene Yeadie of Peoria, brother-
in-law and twin sister of the bride.
A street-length dress of neu-blue
was worn by the bride. Her corsage
was of white carnations. The matron
of honor wore a blue suit dress, with
a corsage of white carnations.

Following the ceremony, a recep-
tion was held at the church for
members of the family and guests.
The couple will reside in Pekin.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and
Mrs. Edgar J. Burrus of Arenville,
Miss Donna Burrus of this city, Mr.
and Mrs. William Burrus, Mr. and
Mrs. Raymond Hoelscher, Mrs.
Thomas Littleton and Mrs. Jack
Vance of Peoria and Mr. and Mrs.
Raymond Long and sons of Chest-
nut.

Hold Kirchner
Funeral Sunday
At Jerseyville

Jerseyville—Funeral services for
Mrs. Marie J. Kirchner, wife of Jesse
Kirchner, were held Sunday after-
noon from the Evangelical church in
this city. Reverend Dale Harmon,
pastor of the Jerseyville Methodist
church, officiated. Interment was in
the Oak Grove cemetery.

The deceased was the daughter of
the late Antoine and Wilhelmina
Egelhoff Ahrling and was born in
Jersey county August 9, 1903. Her
death occurred December 9th at 3:20
p. m.

She is survived by her husband;
two daughters, Mrs. John Rothe, and
Mrs. Joseph Cairns of right; one
son, John Kirchner of Jerseyville;
one brother, Harold Ahrling of Chi-
cago and three grand daughters.

XMAS PARTY TUESDAY
White Hall—The Domestic Sci-
ence club will hold its Christmas
party Tuesday at 6:30 p. m. in the
basement of the Methodist church.
Families will be guests. Following a
surprise Christmas program, there
will be a gift exchange. Hostesses
for the evening are: Winona Smith,
Nova Lyons, Hallie Joette, Crystal
White, Ida Harding.

VISIT AT ATHENSVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dingeldein, 788
East College avenue, accompanied by
Mr. and Mrs. Payton Waters of Mur-
rayville, spent Sunday in Athensville
visiting with Mrs. Nina Emmons and
son, Albert.

Amvet Meeting Tonight.

Driver Gets Across
Barricaded Bridge;
Leaves Parts Of Car

Heavy plank barricades meant nothing to a driver who
wanted to take his car across the Mauvaisterre creek bridge on
Brooklyn avenue Sunday afternoon.

The bridge has been closed to traffic nearly two years—
several floor planks have been removed—but that didn't stop
the determined driver. Even Horatio, who is famed in literature
for defense of a certain span couldn't have flagged him down.

At 4:30 p. m. the police depart-
ment received word that there had
been unusual goings-on at the
bridge, which lies just across the city
line in a road district. Sgt. Spreen
and Patrolmen Wilner and Runkel
formed an investigating party.

The officers found barricades
broken down at both approaches of
the bridge. On the bridge floor,
which was almost crushed in by a
heavy transport truck nearly two
years ago, were several parts of an
automobile which were knocked off
by the impact of colliding with the
barricades.

The emblem plate from an Olds-
mobile, a radio aerial and shattered
glass from a headlight were evidence
of the rough ride someone took
across the bridge.

Crosses, Turns Around
Residents of the neighborhood in
the vicinity of Brooklyn avenue and
Henry street said the automobile
first crossed the barricade bridge
from the south. It was observed to
turn around at Henry street, then
cross the bridge again, going in the

Body of Pfc. Dugan
Will Reach Bluffs
Wednesday, Dec. 15

Bluffs—Mr. and Mrs. James Du-
gan have received word that the
body of their son, Pfc. Richard L.
Dugan, will arrive in Bluffs Wed-
nesday morning. It will be taken to
the Bates Funeral Home.

Funeral arrangements will be an-
nounced definitely later although it
is expected that they will be held
Thursday afternoon with burial in
a Beardsdon cemetery.

Pfc. Dugan, the youngest son of
Mr. and Mrs. James Dugan, was
born August 7, 1923 in Beardsdon
where he attended school until 1934
when the family moved to Bluffs. He
graduated from the Bluffs Commu-
nity High school with the class of
1941. "Dixie" as he was called by his
many friends entered the service
February 5, 1943 and was stationed
at Camp Hood Texas. He received
training also at State College, Aber-
deen, South Dakota and Fort Leon-
ard Wood, Missouri. He was in the
Anti-tank Corps. He was later trans-
ferred to the Glider Infantry, leav-
ing this country May 1944. He was a
member of the Headquarters of 401st
Glider Division of the 101st Airborne
Division in England, Holland, Bel-
gium and France. He was killed in
action on December 26, 1945, in Bel-
gium.

He is survived by his parents; two
brothers, Henry Dugan of Los An-
geles, Calif., Robert H. Dugan of the
U. S. Navy stationed at San Diego;
three sisters, Mildred Dugan of
Chandlerville and Mrs. Harry J.
Bernot of Oakland, Calif., and a host
of other relatives and friends.

Interment was in Memorial Lawn
cemetery, where military rites were
conducted by V. F. W. Post 1379.
Amvets Post 100 and American
Legion Post 279, Russell J. Alvarez
acted as commander, with Walton
Bland as chaplain and Marvin
Martin as chaplain of the guard.

Buglers were Bernard Strongman
and Earl Rabojons. Robert H. Reid,
Karl Derksen, Lyle Morris, Ray-
mond Hart, Russell Armstrong and
John Beades were color bearers.
Comprising the color guard were
Harold Meyers and Byron Strawn,
Clifford Charlesworth, Richard
Dober, Harry Myers, Glenn Skinner,
Jr., Lloyd Ruby, Howard Westrope,
Ross Cox and C. P. Siegfried made
up the firing squad.

The flag was presented to the
widow by Walton Bland. Condolences
were extended to the family by
Glenn Spencer representing the
American Legion, Marvin Martin
for the Amvets, and Russell Alvarez
for the V. F. W.

**Xmas Program
To Be Presented
At BPWC Meeting**

A Christmas allegory, "Thirty
Pieces of Silver," will highlight the
Business and Professional Women's
club Christmas program to be held
Thursday evening at the Dunlap
hotel.

The allegory will feature the fol-
lowing members of the Jackson-
ville high school speech class taught
by Miss Fergene Gordin: Doris Litter,
Miss Wendorff, Howard Gutekunst,
Ed Hill and Mary Elledge, narrator.

Also included on the program will
be songs by Richard Mills, Illinois
College student, accompanied by
Mrs. Maye Hecker, and a demon-
stration of Christmas wrappings by
Mrs. Mildred Seeman, Morgan - Scott
home adviser.

Members of the by-laws commit-
tee, Miss Fern Haigh and Miss Enid
Gillman, and the council committee,
Miss Anna Mann, chairman, Miss
Olive Venters, co-chairman, Mrs.
Margaret Caldwell, Miss Rose Davis,
Miss Mattie Thimig, Mrs. Ethel P.
Ericson and Mrs. Irene Noudett, ar-
ranged the program.

Miss Amy Demotte and Miss Marie
Bossarte comprise the supper com-
mittee.

LIBRARY HOURS
Pfeiffer Library at MacMurray
college will be open three days dur-
ing the Christmas vacation. The
hours to be maintained are from 9
a. m. to 12 noon. Days on which the
library will be open are Wednesday,
Dec. 22, Tuesday, Dec. 28, and
Thursday, Dec. 30.

NOT RUBBERY
A rubber tree is no more limber
than any other tree. The hevia,
most common of the rubber pro-
ducers, grows 60 feet tall, and
straight as a walnut.

MARRIAGE LICENSE
Verba McElroy of Roadhouse and
Hazel Mantle of Murrayville.

United Recently



Mr. and Mrs. Scott Longenebaugh

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth
Ingram of this city and Scott Edson
Longenebaugh of Winchester was
solemnized at Trinity Episcopal
church on Nov. 25.

Mrs. Longenebaugh is physical edu-
cation instructor at Jacksonville
High school. Mr. Longenebaugh is at-
tending Illinois college.

The couple will make their home
at 107 Diamond Court.

Grade School At
Chapin Will Give
Program Dec. 15

The Chapin Grade School will
present its annual Christmas pro-
gram at the Chapin High school
Wednesday evening, December 15,
at 7:30 o'clock.

The program will be divided into
two parts. Grades 1-6 will present
the Operetta "She Didn't Believe."
This is a story of Dorothy, a little
girl who thinks she is much too
modern to hang up her stockings on
Christmas Eve. Other characters are
Elves, Santa Claus, Poinsettias,
Dolls, Jumping Jacks, Candles,
Housewives and Merchants.

The second part of the program
is entitled "The Gift of Christmas,"
which will be presented by pupils of
the upper grades. The familiar pic-
tures of the Christmas story will be
shown in tableaux while Faith, Hope,
and Love link the story together.

The musical background will be
supplied by the Grade School Choir.

Man And Woman
Killed In Wreck
Near Springfield

A Springfield grade school teach-
er and the president of an Alton
brick manufacturing company lost
their lives in an automobile wreck
early Sunday morning at the junc-
tion of U. S. Route 36 and State
Route 4, near Moonlight Gardens at
the southwest edge of Springfield.

Miss Elizabeth Merwin, 32, a kin-
dergartner teacher, was pronounced
dead on arrival at St. John's hospi-
tal.

The driver of the car, Hewitt Rand
Rodgers, 39, president of the Alton
Brick company, was killed almost
instantly.

Miss Florine Swadley, a language
arts teacher in the Springfield school
system, sustained a severe head in-
jury.

Rodgers is believed to have dozed
at the wheel, causing him to lose
control of the car which traveled 35
yards after it left the pavement. It
collided with a telephone pole which
was sheared off five feet above the
ground by the impact.

State police said it was raining at
the time of the accident. The top
part of the pole crashed down on the
occupants beneath it.

**Two MacMurray
Students Win
Poetry Contest**

Two MacMurray students are
winners in the national contest for
poets, according to an official an-
nouncement. Their poems will ap-
pear in the forthcoming Annual
Anthology of College Poetry.

Joan Foster, senior English major
of Alexander, will be represented
by a poem entitled "Evaluation."
Muriel Knudson, junior English
major of Blytheville, Ark., is the
other winner. Her poem is called
"Immortal Seduction."

The Anthology is a compilation of
selected poetry written by college
men and women from every section
of America. Selections were made
from thousands of poems submitted.

**PAST PRESIDENTS
OF W. R. C. PLAN PARTY**

The Past President's club of the
Woman's Relief Corps will meet
Wednesday at the home of Mrs.
Emma Arenz, 224 West Beecher ave-
nue. A Christmas dinner will be
served at noon, followed by a busi-
ness meeting at 2 p. m., during which
Mystery Pals will be revealed
through a gift exchange.

Fluorescent lamps, using kryp-
ton gas instead of argon, give high-
er efficiency and, therefore, will
decrease electric light bills.

Many Gather At
Bluffs At Burial
Of Pfc. Newberry

Bluffs—Largely attended memori-
al services for Pfc. William New-
berry were conducted from the
Bluffs Methodist church Thursday
afternoon with the services in-
charge of Rev. John Grimes as-
sisted by Rev. Kenneth Douglas.

Music was furnished by Mrs.
Kenneth Douglas and Miss Vera
McCaleb who sang "Shadows" and
"It Is Well With My Soul," accom-
panied by Mrs. Donald Merris.

The many floral tributes were
cared for by Mesdames Charles
Oakes, George Krog, Robert Brown,
George Mathews, Howard Reeder
and Mrs. Drake.

The casket bearers were Frank
Chambers, Charles Oakes, Donald
Bunch, Robert Brown, Coin Omar
Mueller, Harold Kilver.

The members of Charles Wolford
Post 441 American Legion and its
auxiliary attended the services in
a body. Post Commander is Frank
Chambers. Flag bearers were Bern-
ard Meyers and Dick Albers and
the color guard were William D.
Merris and Gifford Collison. Military
services were conducted at the
graveyard in Fairview cemetery.

The body of Pfc. Newberry ar-
rived in Bluffs Wednesday morn-
ing accompanied by Sgt. Odom.

Other Bluffs News
Mrs. Lucille Propeck who has been
a patient at Our Saviour's hospital
in Jacksonville was moved to a
Nursing Home in that city Thursday
morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leston Miley and
daughter of Coloma, Ill., were Satur-
day guests of Rev. and Mrs. Ken-
neth Douglas and family.

Mrs. William Kilver returned
home from Passavant hospital
where she had been under obser-
vation since Sunday night.

Fritz Kilver of Colorado is visit-
ing his mother, Mrs. Lena Kilver,
and other relatives in Bluffs and
community.

Mrs. Dora Graham of Spring-
field, Mo., is visiting relatives in
Bluffs through the holiday season.

**FIREMEN EXTINGUISH
BRUSH AND LEAF BLAZE**

Burning brush and leaves caused
a fire alarm Sunday night at 9:40
o'clock at the home of J. N. Hayden,
858 Cass avenue, but no damage re-
sulted. Firemen used a line from a
booster pump to bring the blaze un-
der control.

ENTERS HOSPITAL
Reitman Hills, 1144 West Lafay-
ette avenue, entered Passavant hospi-
tal Sunday as a surgical patient.

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Sunday Cont. From 1,
7:15 and 9:15
THE SOUTHERN YANKEE
Red Skelton
Tuesday 7:15 and 9:15
THE BIG PUNCH
Wayne Morris

Bluffs—OD RE Theatre
Sun. 7:00 only, Mon. 7:30
MATING OF MILLIE
Glenn Ford, Evelyn Keyes
Tuesday 7:30
APACHE ROSE
in color with Roy Rogers

Winchester—LYRIC Theatre
Sun. 2:30 and 7:30—Mon. 8:00
SECRET LIFE OF
WALTER MITTY
Technicolor with Danny Kaye
Tuesday 8:00
SHANGHAI CHEST
Charlie Chan

MAJESTIC
Shows at 7 and 8:30 P. M.
ENDS TONIGHT
Alan Ladd "SAIGON"
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MAKING HELLINGERS
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IN
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AT ALL A&P STORES

Teachers, Unit 16 Honor New Berlin School Board

New Berlin—Berlin school board members and their wives were guests of honor at a turkey dinner given Wednesday evening at the school by the teachers and unit 16 of the New Berlin high school. The forty guests were welcomed by Prof. J. F. Short.

Following the dinner, the teachers presented a skit, "It Couldn't Happen Here." The group also enjoyed playing bridge.

Members of the Rural Neighbors club and their husbands will meet Thursday at 12 noon for a potluck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Horn.

The December meeting of the New Berlin Woman's club was held recently in the rose room of the St. Nicholas hotel, Springfield, with Mrs. J. P. Short, Mrs. William Pfeffer, Mrs. Ernest King and Mrs. Guy Warner as hostesses.

Mrs. Elmer Roesch and Mrs. Carl Pfeffer, garden committee members, had charge of the program which included a luncheon, a talk, on Christmas decorations and a showing of the work of Miss Irene Garvey of Springfield.

The annual Christmas party and turkey dinner of the Mu Beta club was held Monday evening at the Leland hotel.

After dinner contract bridge was played. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Rose Knust, high, Mrs. Harriett Dunlap, low, Mrs. Este Brehm, second high, and Mrs. Abernathy, cut prize.

Bargains on the classified page

Women Learn Art Of Making Trays

Patterson—A group of Patterson-Hillview Home Bureau members met at the home of Mrs. Bert Tankersley Tuesday afternoon to receive instructions on the making of aluminum trays. Mrs. Violet Poyell of Hillview gave the lesson.

Others present were: Mrs. Ida Seely, Mrs. Lauretta Witty, Mrs. Margaret Hicks, Mrs. Virginia McClay, Mrs. Lida Hicks and Mrs. Seelah Owdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon Fry and two daughters of Bethalto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eulley Fry and family, several days the past week. Mrs. Lowell Dawdy and son, Darrell, were Wednesday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McEvers and son, Stanley, were Thursday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Bell, of White Hall.

Billie Perkins of near Hillview is spending the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. John Frindle.

Women on American farms each work an average of 64 hours a week, with some of them working as many as 77 hours.

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A daughter weighing six pounds, five and three-fourth ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Price, 203 East Vandalia Road, Sunday at 12:10 p. m. at Our Saviour's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Coughlin of Bluffs are parents of a daughter born at Passavant hospital at 1:20 a. m. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dotzler, rural route two, Virginia, are parents of a daughter born Sunday at 9:49 a. m. at Passavant hospital.

A son was born Sunday at 6:08 p. m. at Passavant hospital to Mr. and

Mrs. Paul D. Byus, 742 East Chambers street.
Mr. and Mrs. William Batson, 323 Laurel Drive, are parents of a daughter born at Passavant hospital at 10:27 p. m. Sunday.

Hold Last Rites For Joseph Stone

Funeral rites for Joseph F. Stone were held at the Gilliam Funeral Home Sunday at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. William J. Boston was the officiating minister.

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Waltz into Darkness

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ACROSS the room, over in the far corner, miles away, stood a chair with his clothes upon it. An ebony wood chair, with apricot-plush seat and apricot-plush back.

Miles away it stood, and he looked longingly across the miles, the immeasurable distance from illness to health, from helplessness to ability, from death to life.

All the way across the room, many miles away.

He must get over there, to that chair. It was far away, but he must get over there to it somehow.

He could not get out of bed legs upright, so he had to leave it head and shoulders first, in a slanting downward fall. Then there was a second, if less violent, fall as his hips and legs came down after the rest of him.

He began to slide along the floor now, like some groveling thing, a worm or caterpillar, chin touching it at every other moment, hot striving breath stirring the nap of the carpet before him, like a wave spreading out from his face.

He was getting closer. The chair was no longer an entire chair; its top was too far up overhead now. The circle of vision, straight before him, level with the floor, showed his four legs, and the shoes under it, and part of the seat. The rest was lost in the blurred mists of height.

Then the seat went too, just the legs now remained, and he was getting very near. Perhaps near enough already to reach it with his arm, if he extended that full before him along the floor.

He tried it, and it just fell short. Not more than six inches remained between his straining fingertips and the one particular leg he was aiming them for. Six inches was so little to bridge.

Then through his blinding tears,

he saw at last that there were one pair of shoes too many. Four instead of two. His own, under the chair, and hers, off to the side, unnoticed until now. She must have opened the door so deftly that he had not heard it.

"What did you want, your clothes? Why didn't you ask me?" she said mockingly. "You can have no possible use for them, my dear. You're not well enough."

And taking the chair in hand, before his broken-hearted eyes swept it all the way back against the wall.

Then when she had him back in bed again, she gave him a smile that burned, that seared, though it was only a sweet, harmless, solicitous thin, and the door closed after her.

Within its luminous halo the chair stood, ebony wood and apricot plush. All the way across the room, leagues away.

SHE came in later in the morning and sat by him, cool and crisp, pretty as a picture, a veritable Florence Nightingale, soothing, comforting him, ministering to his wants in every way. In every way but one.

"Poor Lou. Do you suffer much?"

He resolutely refused to admit it. "I'll be all right," he panted. "I've never been ill a day in my life. This will pass."

She sighed in comfortable agreement. "Yes, this will soon pass," she conceded with equanimity.

She fanned him with a palm-leaf fan. She brought a basin, and with a moist cloth gently laved and cooled his agonized brow and his heaving chest, each sicken stroke lighter than a butterfly's wing.

When water alone would no longer quench his ravening, ever-

increasing thirst, she went out and with great difficulty obtained a pail of cracked ice at a fishmonger's, and bringing it back, gave it to him piece by piece to chew and crunch between his teeth.

In every way she ministered to him. In every way but one. "Get a doctor," he besought her at last. "I cannot fight this out alone. I must have help."

She kept her seat. "Shall we not wait another day? Is this my stout-hearted Lou? Tomorrow, perhaps, you will be so much better that—"

He clawed at her garments in mute appeal, until she drew back a little, to keep them from being disarranged. His face formed in weakened lines of weeping. "Tomorrow I shall be dead. Oh, Bonny, I cannot face the night. This fire in my wit—If you love me, if you love me—a doctor."

She went at last. She was gone from the room a half-hour. She came back to it again, her shawl and bonnet on, and took them off. She was alone.

"You didn't—?" He died a little. "He cannot come before tomorrow. He is coming then. I described to him what your symptoms were. He said there is no cause for alarm. It is a form of—of colic, and it must run its course. He prescribed what we are to do until he sees you—Come now, be calm."

His eyes were on her, bright with fever and despair. He whispered at last: "I did not hear the front door close after you."

She gave him a quick look, but her answer flowed unimpeded. "I left it ajar behind me, to save time when I returned. After all, I'd left you alone in the house. Surely—"

Then she said, "You saw my bonnet on me just now, did you not?" He didn't answer further. All his ravaged mind could keep repeating was: "I didn't hear the door close after her."

And then at last, slowly but at last, he knew.

(To Be Continued)

Finice A. Linder Dies At Carrollton; Rites Wednesday

Carrollton—Finice A. Linder, well known Carrollton resident, died Sunday at 5:20 p. m. at his home here following an illness of two years.

A native of Linder Township in Greene county, Mr. Linder was born on Oct. 2, 1867, and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isham Linder. His early years were spent on a farm. He moved to Carrollton in 1900.

Surviving are his wife, Annie Stout Linder; one son, Isham of Boulder,

Colo.; two daughters, Mrs. Ellsworth Black of Jacksonville and Mrs. Neil Walker of White Hall, six grandchildren and one great grand child.

He was connected with the Greene County National Bank until he retired to look after his extensive farming interests. He belonged to the Hickory Grove Baptist church and was a member of Carrollton Lodge No. 50, A. F. & A. M., and the Knights Templar.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Presbyterian church, with the Rev. Lyle D. Stone of Brighton and Dr. John W. Crouch of Carrollton officiating. Burial will be in Hickory Grove cemetery.

The body is at the Simpson Funeral Home and will remain there until the time of service.

MEETING POSTPONED
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There followed carols, some of great antiquity, from many lands. They were unaccompanied, well selected and programmed for contrast, and fell gratefully on ears grown a bit too familiar with half-a-dozen Christmas songs played too often.

Among them were haunting modal Asturian carols; a Galician number with its characteristic rhythmic heightened by tambourine, castanets and finger cymbals; typical French and Bohemian carols, cheerful and clear in harmony; the hearty, humorous English "Christmas Day in the Morning" (excellently done), and two fine arrangements of Negro spirituals with their peculiarly appealing quality. Special mention should be made of one of these: "Sweet Little Jesus Boy" (McGimsey-Andrews), sung by the choir with soprano solo, and most effective in spite of occasional difficulties of intonation, due evidently to the wide space between the singers on the balcony and the musical instruments.

Coming in for special audience attention was Henry Busche's good arrangement of Ebeling's "All my heart this night rejoices," for small three-part ensemble.

The "Ave Maria" by Holst was a most effective climax, with the combined choirs displaying technical and interpretative skill under good direction. Mr. Busche and Miss Haney, directors, are to be congratulated on their work with these young voices, much of it being done a cappella.

Willbur Sheridan, organist, gave his customary finish and authority to the Bach numbers selected for prelude and postlude, and he and Miss Margaret Harvey at the piano gave musically support to those numbers having accompaniment.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at the Methodist church in Deland. Burial will be in the Deland cemetery.

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A varied program featuring the Jacksonville Woman's club trio and sextette was presented at the club's December meeting held Saturday at 2:30 p. m. in the banquet room of the Dunlap hotel.

Selections on the program included "Angels We Have Heard on High" by the sextette; "There's a Song in the Air" by the trio; Christmas story, "Anniversary" by Margaret Sangster, Mrs. Ben Negus; "Christmas Glory Song," the trio; "Holy Night" and "Silent Night" by the sextette, with Mrs. Lewis N. Raymond and Miss Charlotte Sieber as soloists.

The sextette is comprised of Miss Sieber, Mrs. Raymond, Mrs. E. H. Sheppard, Mrs. J. T. Butler, Mrs. H. R. Covey and Mrs. J. A. Biggs. Mrs. G. O. Webster is the accompanist. Members of the trio are Mrs. Hugh Green, Mrs. R. M. Tomlin and Mrs. C. E. Short.

Mrs. Fletcher J. Blackburn, president, presided over the business session. The pledge of allegiance and the Lord's Prayer were led by Mrs. H. C. Hart, vice president. Mrs. Harold Wright was chairman of the day

and introduced Miss Sieber, who had charge of the program.

Following the program, a social tea was held, with Mrs. L. L. Edlen as chairman. Mrs. Carl Martin and Mrs. Homer Potter was chairman of the tea tables. Co-chairmen were Mrs. Charles Williamson, Mrs. Effie Baxter, Mrs. Dean Cannell, Miss Mabel Parrott, Mrs. J. Rex Ranson, Mrs. Floyd Hess, Mrs. Van B. Hunter, Mrs. Lester Reid and Mrs. Dale Kimcammon.

Others assisting were Mrs. Willard Cody, Mrs. Floyd Sheets, Mrs. W. C. Calhoun, Miss Pearl Allison, Mrs. Harold Wright, Mrs. J. Allen Biggs, Mrs. Clyde Black, Mrs. John Deem, Mrs. Harley Mayberry, Mrs. Merle Ingels, Mrs. Clark Stevenson, Mrs. R. H. Davidsmeyer, Mrs. Ray Patterson, Mrs. L. L. Edlen and Mrs. Fletcher J. Blackburn.

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Surviving are the following nephews and nieces: Mrs. Tilden Daniels and Ernest Sutton, of Chandlerville; Mrs. Bertha Tappken, of Petersburg; Mrs. Della Watkins, of Bloomington; Byron Morgan, of Springfield; and Mrs. Laura Dowell, of Oakford.

Services will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in the Lintner and Son funeral home here. Rev. William Ray will officiate and burial will be in Chandlerville cemetery.

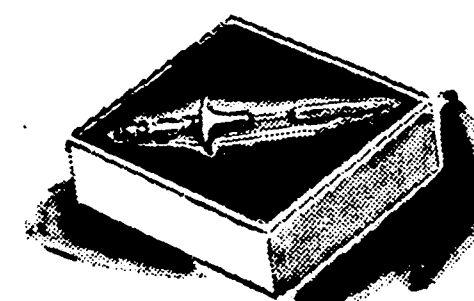


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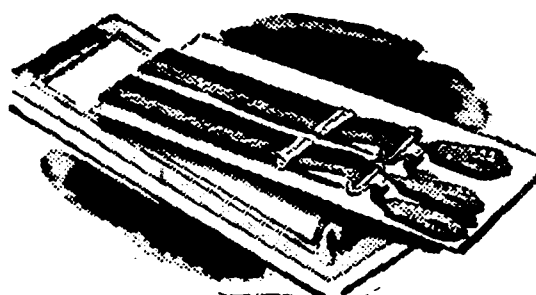
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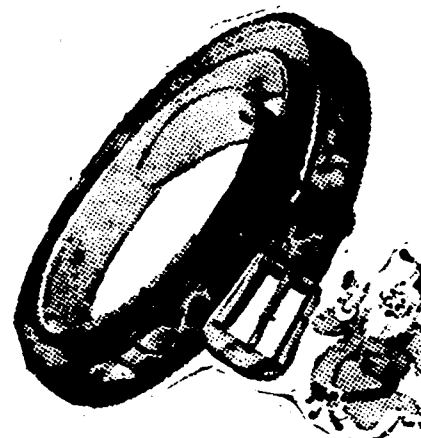
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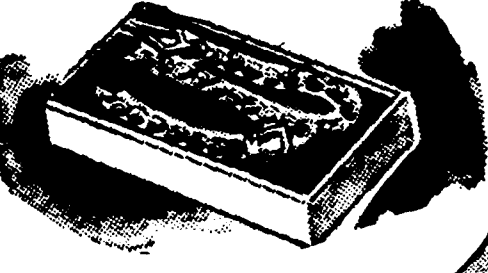
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The morning session was devoted to a business meeting conducted by the district governor, Harold Werner of Springfield. During the afternoon, a program was presented, with Dallas Schultz of the local club acting as toastmaster.

Speakers were Loren Holford of Quincy, whose topic was "James F. Lincoln, Capitalist;" Norman Parkinson of Springfield, "Habit;" and Howard E. Brown of Jacksonville, "The Age of Discretion." Mr. Brown was chosen best speaker.

The evaluators were Alvin Otto of Jacksonville, Robert Piggott of Quincy and Harry Hodde of Springfield.

Roy Warner of Jacksonville served as the impromptu chairman. Impromptu speakers were Robert Piggott of Quincy, Frank Baker of Springfield, Wesley Olson of Quincy, and Frank Smith of Jacksonville. The general critic was John Hadden. Dr. L. K. Hallock was the grammarian.

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State Commander Of Legion Urges Pension For Over-Age Veterans

William G. Burns of Chicago, state commander of the American Legion, Department of Illinois, put the Legion squarely on record as favoring pension action for over-age veterans of World Wars I and II in a talk made to more than 200 Legionnaires at a 20th district meeting held Sunday at Jacksonville High school.

Stating that recent action of a pension subcommittee of the national executive committee at Indianapolis had drafted a veterans' pension plan calling for \$60 at sixty years of age, increasing to \$90 at 65, Burns said that Illinois Legionnaires had initiated such a movement five years ago and had been plugging for such national pension legislative action ever since.

"Governments that lose wars never have to pay a pension" was the theme of Commander Burns' speech to the Legionnaires who had gathered at the Jacksonville Post No. 279 clubrooms for a morning session and adjourned to the high school for a luncheon and afternoon business session.

The Chicago Legionnaire, who is an executive of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, called attention to the pension policy of industry, government, and the peacetime army, asserting that it has become traditional that the United States recognize the fighting veteran, as they have done in the case of the Civil War and Spanish-American War pension plan.

Scares Pension Opponents
 "I sometimes wonder as to just what is the real purpose of the news barons and the organizational mouth-pieces who have made such a game of criticising us for our pension stand," Burns said. "Do they think editorial browbeating will cover the Legion into dropping the fight?"

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Hits At Communists
 Commander Burns also urged the adoption of universal military training and the eliminating of communists in the key spots of government and education.

Dr. Leonard W. Esper, of Springfield, chairman of the American Legion national pension committee that drafted the six point pension plan at Indianapolis, December 6, 7th, explained the details of the pension proposal that the Legion will incorporate into their pension bill that goes before the 81st Congress.

The 20th District Post Officers Conference featured both Commanders and Adjutants School and a school for Legion post service officers.

George Vasconcellos, of Jacksonville, 20th District Commander, presided over the Commanders and Adjutants school held at the morning session in the Jacksonville Post 279 Home. He was assisted by Frank Robinson, 20th District Adjutant; Sam Jenkins, Pittsfield, 20th District Senior Vice Commander; Lyle K. Shively Assistant Department Adjutant and James Gwaltney, Harrisburg, Organization Officer.

Service Officers' School
 Homer G. Bradney of Jacksonville, Administrator of the Illinois Veterans Commission and Merle Moore, Springfield Director of Education for the I.V.C. were in charge of the service officers' school, also a part of the Legion's morning session.

Commander Vasconcellos acted as toastmaster at the luncheon that was held in the Jacksonville High School cafeteria, introducing Department Commander Burns and other distinguished guests. The 20th District Commander announced the district membership at 3645, giving the district 52% of it's last year's total membership. A total of 373

membership cards were turned in at the meeting making a total of 843 cards turned in this week, Mr. Vasconcellos said.

The American Legion, Department of Illinois, is over 117,000, Commander Burns said, running over 5000 ahead of last year at this time. The Legion's goal is 300,000 members for 1949.

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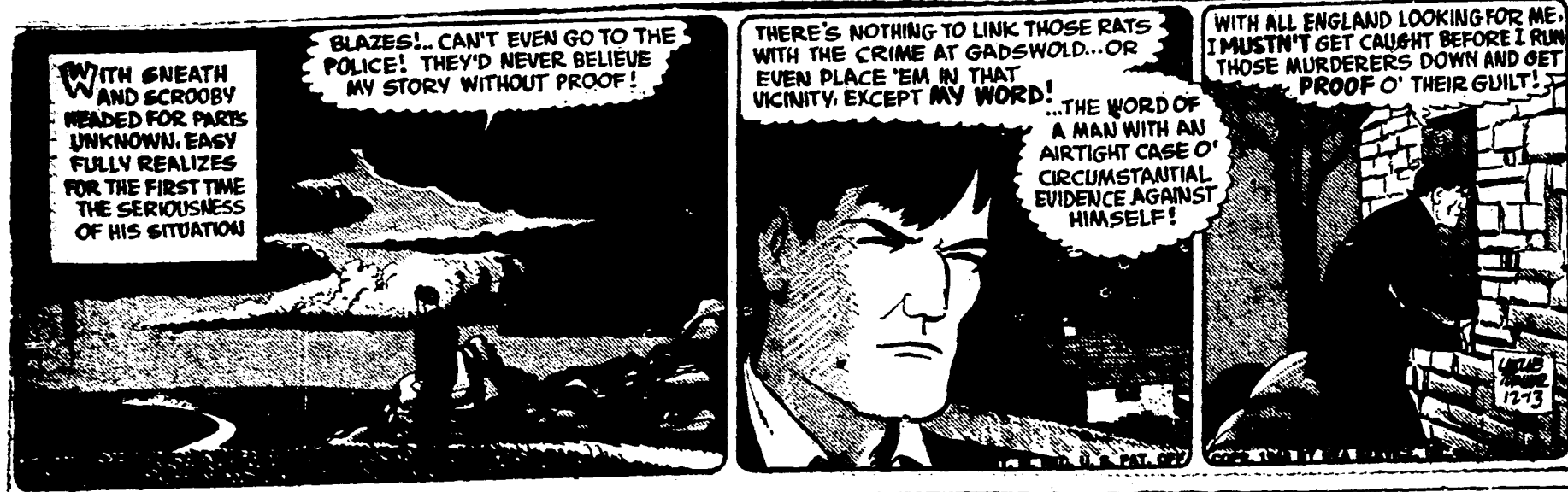
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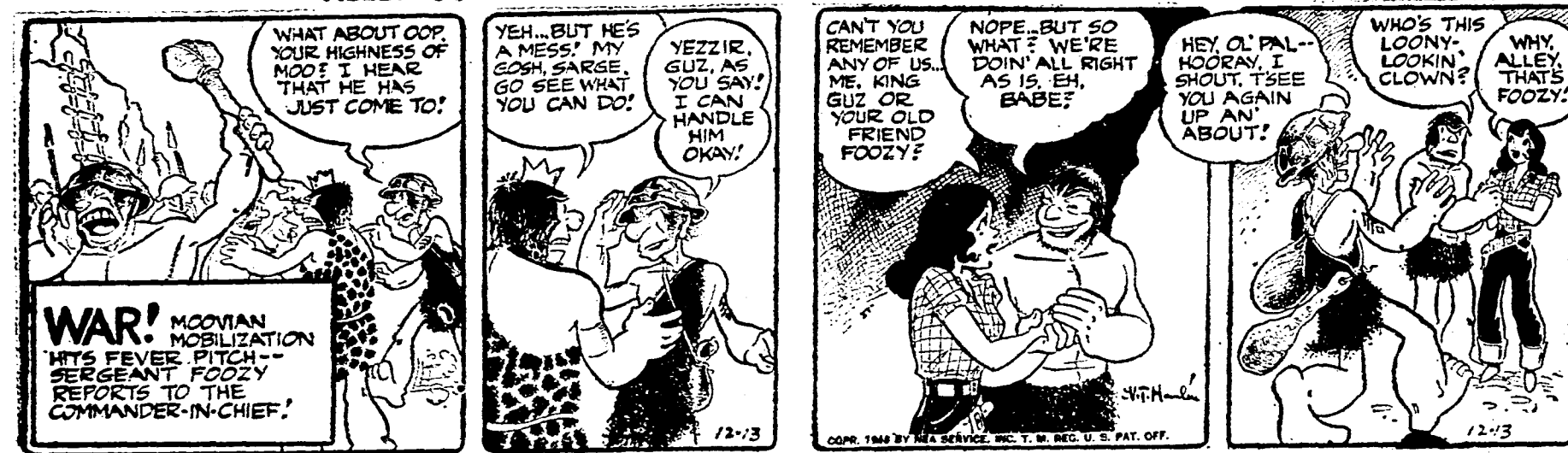
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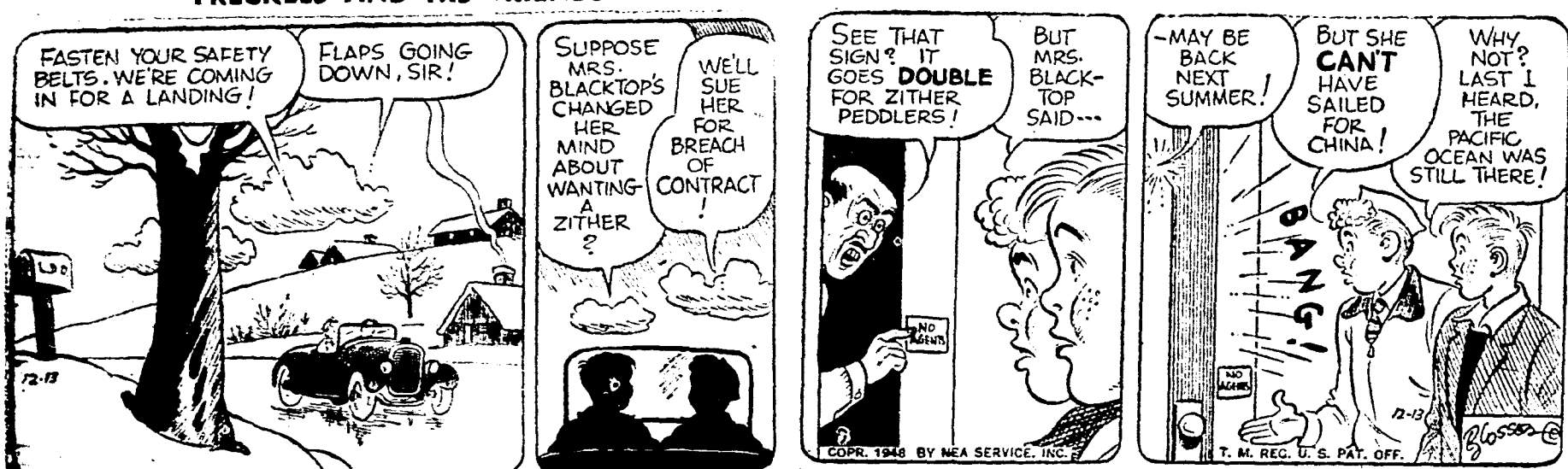
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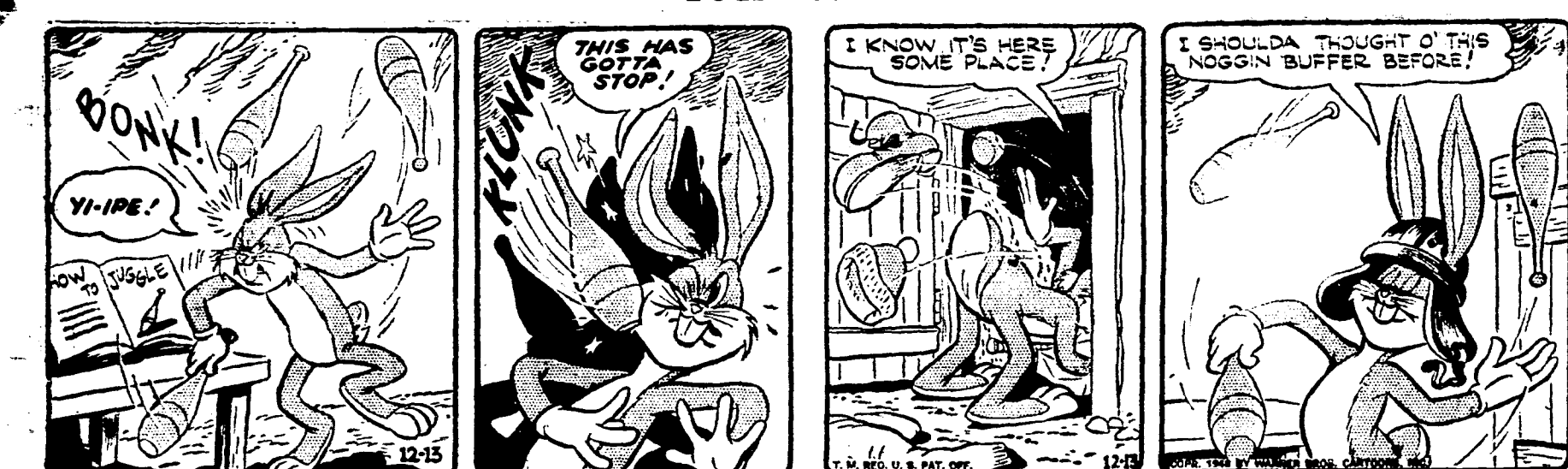


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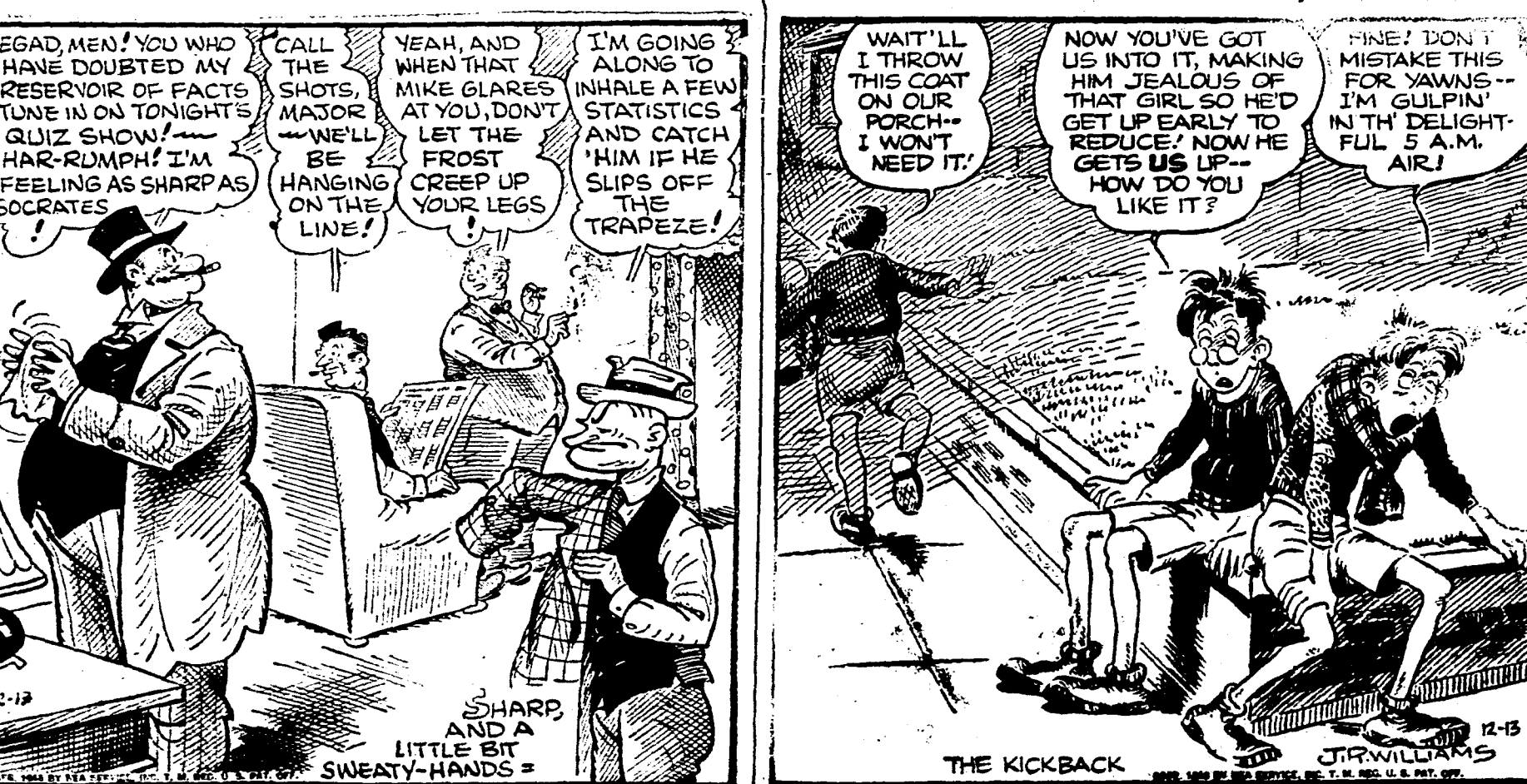
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BOOKKEEPER wanted at Journal Courier. —D

GIRLS WANTED at BARRS Laundry, West Court street. 12-10-2t-D

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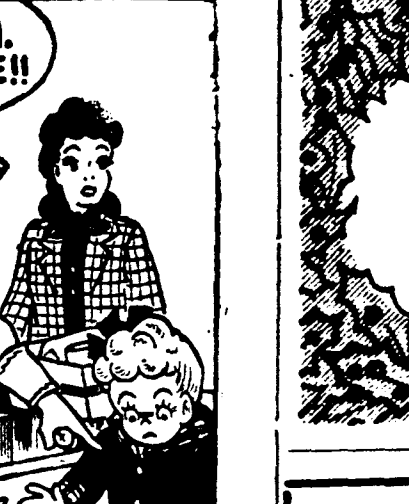
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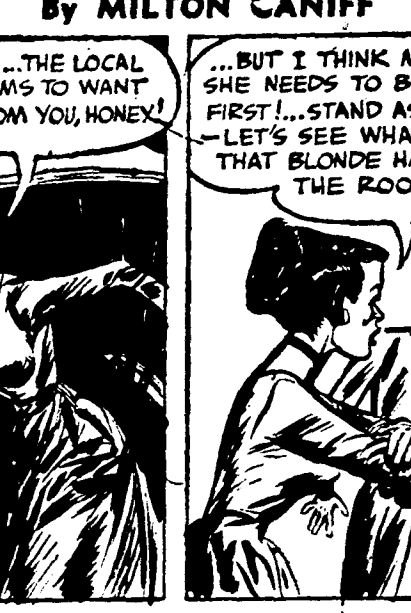
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157 acre STOCK & GRAIN FARM, west of Jacksonville. Some improvements. House destroyed by fire. Will sell reasonable. W. E. Coates, 344 W. Court, Jacksonville, Ill. Phone 1640-R. 11-24-1t-Q

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W—Lost and Found

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LOST—Boys blue SCHWINN BICYCLE near Journal-Courier badly needed for work. Reward. Phone Journal-Courier 61. 12-11-1t-W

LOST—About 8 keys on ring in business district this week. Reward. Phone 155. 12-11-3t-W

STRAYED OR STOLEN two red shoats. Reward for information of whereabouts. Kenneth Delaney, R. R. 2 Arenzville. 12-13-6t-W

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Winchester Band To Play Concert At P.T.A. Meeting

Winchester—Mrs. Liberty Balke is chairman of the committee for the Christmas program to be presented by grades one to four of the grade school at the P.T.A. meeting which will be held in the high school auditorium Thursday at 8 p.m.

Others on the committee are Mrs. Richard Lashmet, Miss Nellie Roosa, Mrs. Margaret McAdams and Miss Paula Coenen.

The grade school band, under the direction of Mr. Dalhaus, will play several selections.

A short business meeting will be conducted by the president, Mrs. Tom Coultas. The program theme for the month of December is, "Understanding Spiritual Training."

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fank and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Peak were hosts at a dinner party held at the Fank home Sunday night.

Mrs. Emmaline Babb of Jacksonville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith this past weekend.

Mrs. Paul Garrison and infant son, David Lee, returned home from Our Saviour's hospital on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Bugg and son, Richard, spent Sunday in Quincy visiting with Mr. Bugg's mother.

A large attendance marked the conclusion of the "New Friends for Christ" program at a consecration service in the First Baptist church Sunday night. The program was held by the Winchester BYF under the direction of Rev. Norman Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coultas of Moline were weekend visitors with his father, John Coultas, and sister, Mrs. Loretta Glossop.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Mann entertained Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis of Jerseyville last weekend.

The Julian Wells post of the American Legion and the auxiliary will hold the annual Christmas party Dec. 15. The affair will begin with a potluck supper at 6:30.

Auxiliary Post At Murrayville Lists Committees

Murrayville—Mrs. Ruth Hart, president of the Murrayville American Legion auxiliary, post 311, appointed the following 1949 committees:

Unit secretary, Mrs. Thelma Blumling; Americanism, Mrs. Mabel Rimbey; chairman, Mrs. Elsie Tindick; Mrs. Josie Hayes and Mrs. Lillian Sunderland; auxiliary loan fund, Mrs. Louise Ommen; child welfare, Mrs. Sarah Mehehoff; community service, Mrs. Margaret Lonergan; Mrs. Amelia Smith; Mrs. Alma Walsh and Mrs. Mildred Mutch; finance, Mrs. Mildred Mutch; Mrs. Ethel Stringer and Mrs. Frances Lonergan; gold star, Mrs. Nevada Sopher, legislative and revision, Mrs. Alma Walsh; Mrs. Sarah Mehehoff and Mrs. Mabel Blumling.

Membership, Mrs. Barbara Spencer, Mrs. Mabel Rimbey and Mrs. Louise Ommen; music, Mrs. Mildred Bencosier; national security, Mrs. Lillian Sunderland; Mrs. Mildred Bencosier and Mrs. Martha Walsh; pan-American study, Mrs. Delores Wilson; Mrs. Josie Hayes and Mrs. Kathryn Coleman; membership liaison, Mrs. Mae Cade; Mrs. Delores Wilson and Mrs. Nevada Sopher; past president's party, Mrs. Mae Osborne.

Poppy sale, Mrs. Amelia Smith, Mrs. Mae Osborne, Mrs. Mamie McKean and Mrs. Mabel Rimbey; publicity, Mrs. Mildred Bencosier; rehabilitation and veterans' employment, Mrs. Ethel Stringer; Mrs. Barbara Spencer and Mrs. Mae Cade; veterans' craft exchange, Mrs. Frances Lonergan; and cards and flowers, Mrs. Mae Cade.

Funeral Services

Pfc. Richard L. Dugan
Bluffs—Funeral services for Pfc. Richard L. Dugan will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Bates Funeral Home, in charge of Rev. Kenneth Douglas of the Methodist church. Burial will be made at Beardstown.

Silas G. Rentschler
Funeral services for Silas G. Rentschler will be held at the Williamson Funeral Home at 2 p.m. Tuesday. The Rev. Walter B. Martin will officiate. Burial will be in the Concord cemetery, with the I.O.O.F. No. 243, in charge.

TO MEET FRIDAY
The Sinclair Woman's club will hold its Christmas meeting Friday at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Ash.

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JayCee Songfest Monday Nets \$100 For Nichols Fund

The second annual Christmas Songfest, sponsored Monday evening at the Jacksonville high school auditorium by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, has made it possible for the Jaycees to contribute \$100 for current expenses to the Sammy Nichols fund.

In a statement made before a near capacity audience, Richard Hopper, general chairman, announced that \$116 had been contributed in the free will offering taken during the program. Although the Songfest was put on at a cost of \$43, the club will absorb enough of the expense to make the contribution possible.

The program, announced Sunday, was greatly enjoyed by the audience. Only one scheduled performance was canceled. The Spiritual Harmonizers were unable to present their numbers because of the illness of several members.

Mrs. Helen Peters Elected N. G. By Local Rebekahs

Mrs. Helen Peters was elected noble grand of the Jacksonville Rebekah lodge, No. 13, when it met Friday evening. About 120 persons attended the meeting. Visitors were present from Carrollton, Havana, Roodhouse, Jerseyville, Caratis, No. 625, and Iowa lodges.

It was announced that a joint public installation service will be held on Jan. 17 in conjunction with Illinois lodge, No. 4.

Others elected were: Mrs. Una Reynolds, vice grand; Mrs. Ruth Jones, recording secretary; Mrs. Eula Black, financial secretary and Mrs. Coral Trabue, treasurer.

The trustees are Mrs. Edith Davies, Mrs. Clara Williams, Mrs. Evelyn Dickerson, Mrs. Roberta Charlesworth, Miss Mamie Thady.

Henry Peters was named staff captain.

New Income Tax Laws Reviewed At Franklin

Three income tax specialists discussed recent changes in the law illustrating the correct procedure of filling out 1040F and answered the questions of the 80 farmers who attended the income tax school sponsored by the Franklin chapter, Future Farmers of America. The meeting was held at the Franklin high school Monday night.

George E. Richter, Jr., chapter adviser, introduced Leon Green, instructor of the eighth Illinois collection agency; Jay Ensor, assistant instructor, and DeEdmond Nipp, zone deputy collector.

After a review of the pertinent changes in this year's tax return laws, the officials related the proper method of filling out the blank, stressing several points usually overlooked by farmers and landowners. A question and answer session concluded the meeting.

Bible Class Names Officers For Year

The Gleaner's class of Northminster Presbyterian church held an election of officers at a meeting which took place at the home of Mrs. Alfred Souza, rural route three, Jacksonville.

Those chosen were: Mrs. Walter DeShara, president; Mrs. G. C. Albright, vice president; Mrs. Lillie Sears, secretary; and Mrs. Clara Oliver, treasurer.

Mrs. Anna Estaque, the teacher, read two articles, "End of A Perfect Day" and "The Legend of Christmas Flowers." "Silent Night" was sung by Miss Doris Souza. Mrs. C. Frank Janssen presented a talg on "Love."

A Bible was presented to the class teacher by Mrs. Janssen, acting on behalf of the class.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and her assistants, Bessie Fernandes and Rose Aguar.

JEAN MULLEN ELECTED FRANKLIN LODGE HEAD

Franklin—At the annual election held Friday evening by the Franklin Rebekah lodge, Jean Mullen was elected noble grand.

Others named were Hazel Ramsey, vice grand; Alta Trambarger, recording secretary; Mae Williamson, financial secretary; Harriet Harris, treasurer; and Lillian Eaton, Lou Duncan, Hattie Boyer, Grace Bohl and Ellie Henderson, trustees.

Public installation will be held Thursday, Jan. 20, at 7:30 p.m. at Rebekah hall.

TO HOLD PARTY FOR GOLD STAR CHILDREN, MOTHERS
The gold star children of this area, along with their mothers, will be guests at a Christmas party to be given Friday at 7 p.m. at the American Legion home by the Jacksonville War Dads and their auxiliary.

All members of the chapter and the auxiliary are invited to attend.

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Longer Lease Sought By 4-H Camp Officials At Lake Jacksonville

Changes in several provisions of an ordinance by which the City of Jacksonville will lease a wooded tract on Lake Jacksonville to the Western Illinois 4-H Camp Association were discussed by a committee of three farm advisers which met with the council last night.

The committee representing the 4-H Association, which expects to establish a permanent camp for young people on the tract, asked the city for a lease longer than the 50 year period provided in the first ordinance. A more specific definition of the shore line, and permission to erect a foot bridge over a lagoon, also were sought by the committee.

"The officials of the association question the advisability of erecting buildings on a site under lease only for 50 years," Farm Adviser Ray Watson of Havana said. He was joined by Farm Adviser Mowery of Carlinville and Farm Adviser E. H. Garlich of this city in urging the council to reconsider certain provisions of the lease.

Watson said that if the lease is satisfactory the camp association plans to begin work at the lake within a short time. He recommended that the lease include an option for a second 30 year period, or a straight lease of 60 years or more.

State's Attorney Albert Hall, who resigned as city attorney last week, was present and read revisions which the committee wishes included in a new agreement. The new lease would permit the camp association to renew the lease at the expiration of a 30-year period at the same rental figure. It also defines a 10-foot strip of shoreline to which the public would have access for the purpose of fishing. Swimming privileges, erection of a boat dock and foot bridge were among the additions and revisions proposed.

Original Ordinance Repealed
Alderman Baker moved, seconded by Alderman Weaver, that the former ordinance for lease of the land at the lake be repealed. Mayor Hoagland ordered it laid over under the rules.

A motion to pass the revised ordinance then was introduced by Alderman Baker, seconded by Alderman Kelly. This, too, was laid over until the next meeting.

The three farm advisers said the state 4-H club association plans to spend one and a half million dollars in development of four camps, one of which would be located near Jacksonville. The western district comprises 28 counties, which would send young people to the Jacksonville camp for summer recreation and training.

City Attorney W. L. Fay assumed his duties at last night's meeting. Aldermen Chumley, Costello and Reid were absent, the business being carried on by five aldermen and the mayor.

Grant Zone Change
The council disposed of a question which has been before it for several months when it voted unanimously to change a lot at South Church and West Chambers streets from Class A residential to local business use. Cisne & Schneider expect to erect a retail dairy store at that location.

Rezoning was opposed by a group of citizens, some of whom later signed a counter petition in which they said they were no longer objectors. Russell Verner addressed the council in opposition to rezoning, contending that the neighborhood would be damaged as a residential area.

The council heard an interesting discussion by Charles DeSilva of possibilities for modernization of the Central Park area, and the elimination of flocks of starlings, which have been a nuisance for several years.

Would Remove Trees
Mr. DeSilva proposed that all trees now standing in the park be removed, and replaced by evergreens and shrubbery in a landscaped pattern.

"The trees are old, and many have been repaired by tree surgeons," Mr. DeSilva said. "But they are dangerous in addition to being the finest kind of roost for starlings. Three or four big trees which weigh tons are rotting and about ready to fall down on the monument."

He said the park could be beautified by removing all the present trees and planting various types of evergreens, and the planting of flower beds. Mr. DeSilva also said rest room facilities are needed in the business district, advocating the construction of such quarters underground in Central Park.

City Clerk Phillips read a letter from Tom Cornish, automobile dealer, proposing to lease two lot on South Main street near the Brook. Mr. Cornish said one lot would be used for the display of used cars; the other for a building where used cars would be reconditioned. Mayor Hoagland referred his proposal to the public improvement committee.

Twenty-five students of an American government class at MacMurray College were interested listeners at the council meeting. Dr. Victor Sheppard, instructor of the class, was introduced.

Gilman Services Held In Bluffs

Bluffs—Last rites for Mrs. Emma Gilman were held from St. John's Lutheran church Sunday afternoon with the Rev. John Watson in charge, assisted by the Rev. Johan Rodvik.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Wendell Brackett and Mrs. Donald Morris, accompanied by Mrs. Oscar Merz.

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Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 13.—(P)—The American Farm Bureau Federation convention faced a bitter fight today on the question of extending government controls to the production and sales of all farm products.

Authority for such controls is limited now to the so-called basic crops—wheat, corn, cotton, tobacco, peanuts and rice.

Delegates from areas producing fruits, vegetables, tree nuts and many other minor crops are supporting a proposal advocating legislation which would extend acreage allotments, marketing quotas and marketing agreements to all farm commodities.

Differ On Supports
The convention also was confronted with a sharp battle over the issue of whether government price supports should be kept at high wartime levels or be allowed to go down next year in keeping with a long range farm law passed by the republican-controlled 80th congress. Both issues are not likely to be

Mrs. Addie Coker, 84, Dies Monday At White Hall

White Hall—Mrs. Addie Coates Coker, 84, passed away Monday at 9 a.m. at the White Hall hospital, where she had been confined for the past year and ten months.

Born near Patterson on July 27, 1864, Mrs. Coker was preceded in death by her parents, John and Mary Hanks Coates.

She is survived by her husband, E. D. Coker, of White Hall.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Dawdy funeral home by the Rev. L. D. Gregory.

Burial will be in the White Hall cemetery.

Santa Claus Comes To Birthday Party For Verna Jarrett

Miss Verna Jarrett was feted on her first birthday with a birthday-Christmas party at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jarrett, 425 Caldwell street, Saturday evening. Games were played during the afternoon, and refreshments and favors were served. The big moment of the afternoon was the arrival of Santa Claus, who visited the children and distributed gifts.

The following were present: Johnnie Wright, Susan Wright, Barbara Conant, Patsy Bradley, Dianne Donaldson, Janie Birdsell, Loretha Engles, Kay Laughary, Linda Kinnannon, Rose Hicks, Steven Hicks, Patty Smith, Jackie Raleigh, Bobby Jarrett, Charlet Crocker, Mrs. John Wright, Mrs. Raymond Raleigh, Mrs. Harry Birdsell, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Engles, Miss Blanche Jarrett, Bill Jarrett, Mrs. Verna Jarrett, Santa Claus, and the guest of honor.

Miss Jarrett received many gifts.

Reveal Marriages Of Two Couples From Greenfield

Greenfield—Miss Evelyn Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker, and James Pearnro were married Nov. 23, at the first Evangelical United Brethren church in Bloomington. Both the bride and groom are graduates of the local high school. They will reside in Casa Grande, Arizona.

Mrs. Wilma Corbin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. O'Donnell, and Horace Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arnold Sr., were married Thanksgiving Day at Centralla by the Rev. Harmon Wheeler, uncle of the bridegroom. They are residing temporarily at the home of his parents. In the near future they will reside on the John Roller farm, east of this city.

Members of the Lions club and their families held their annual turkey dinner at the Methodist church. The Baptist ladies served the dinner. The barbershop quartette of Alton sang several selections.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Martin, accompanied by J. Ler sister, Mrs. Ethel Stringer of Murrayville, are on the extended I.A.A. tour of the eastern and southern states.

Mrs. Elfreda Barr of Nameok conducted a school of instruction for the local eastern star chapter Saturday afternoon and evening.

Rebekah Lodge Holds Election

White Hall—The Adams Rebekah lodge No. 375 met in regular session Tuesday night with Noble Grand Elizabeth Dean presiding. An election of officers resulted as follows: Noble Grand, Glendola Westledge; Vice Grand, Ruth Barnard; recording secretary, Nova Lyons; financial secretary, Ella Johnson; treasurer, Florence Hutchens; trustees, Emma Dawdy, Irene Livingstone, Ethel Rigg, Alma Newton, and Alma Martin.

It was decided to have a potluck supper on December 21, at 6:30 p.m. in conjunction with the members of the I.O.O.F. lodge. The entertainment committee for the evening will be Mrs. Leona Conrad, Mrs. Lena Bertram and Mrs. Ruby Glossop.

The dining room committee is composed of Miss Alma Martin, Miss Dorothy M. Young and Mrs. Lena Mae Wells, while Ella Johnson, Glendola Westledge and Emma Dawdy are on the kitchen committee.

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President Allan B. Kline has indicated that he would resign if the convention voted to advocate broadening of government controls.

The fight for extending controls to all products was being led by President Herbert W. Vorhees, Trenton, of the New Jersey Farm Bureau.

South Seeks 90%
Likewise, President H. L. Wingate, Macon, of the Georgia Farm Bureau, spearheaded a south-wide drive to get the convention to go on record for high price supports. He had active aid from delegates from Alabama, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Louisiana, Texas and Oklahoma.

Kline said extension of production and marketing controls to all crops would require the creation of a "vast army" of government officials. Furthermore, he said, it would lead to "complete regimentation" of all agriculture.

Convention support of Wingate on high price supports would involve a reversal in previous farm bureau policy.

POULTRY SHOOT
All day Poultry Shoot Sunday, Dec. 19th. 1-mile S. Arcadia. Lunch and shells on grounds.

AAA Urges Completion Of '48 Soil Practices

All soil conservation practices under the 1948 ACP program must be carried out by Dec. 31 and reported to the county office shortly thereafter to qualify for payments. Wallace T. Hembrough, chairman of the county AAA committee announced Monday.

Such practices must be completed in their entirety in order to qualify, the chairman emphasized. If limestone or other materials were approved for a farm, such materials must be spread on the field this month.

"Time is running short," commented the committeeman, "so with less than a month to go, it's our hope that every farmer who hasn't already completed his approved work will extend every effort to do so within the remaining few weeks."

Mr. Hembrough pointed out that each year's program is carried on independently. "In other words," he said, "an allowance for conservation work which is established under the 1948 ACP Program must be earned in 1948. Otherwise, the payment is entirely lost to the individual farmer. Furthermore, it is only when each farmer completes all of his approved conservation work that the maximum in farm improvement in the county will be accomplished. This is to the interest of everybody, for it takes good farms to make good communities."

Chairman Hembrough stated that reports of the work carried out should be made to the county office immediately.

Future staffs of the two student publications of MacMurray college, the Greetings, weekly newspaper, and the Illiwoco, the yearbook, have been announced.

Jean Burnett, senior from Carbondale, will serve as editor-in-chief of the Greetings for the second semester of 1948-49, with Barbara Brokaw, sophomore from Rochester, Minn., copy editor, and Clarissa Carter, sophomore from Kansas City, Kansas, business manager.

Barbara Brokaw has also been elected editor-in-chief of the 1949-50 Illiwoco. The yearbook staff is chosen far in advance so that the new members may learn the details by working with the present staff. The new business manager is Helen Van Emden of Sheboygan, Wisc.

The public is invited to attend.

Concord Church Changes Date Of Christmas Party

Concord—The annual Christian church Christmas party will be held at Morgan Hall on December 17, instead of December 18 as was previously announced. A potluck supper will be served.

Canned goods to be taken to the Christian Home in Jacksonville by members and friends of Concord Christian church should be taken to the home of Mrs. C. O. Bayless by December 20.

The residents of Concord community were saddened to learn of the passing of one of the older citizens, Silas G. Rentschler. He spent his entire life, excepting the period of his last prolonged illness, on the Rentschler farm at the west edge of Concord.

Mr. Rentschler was of a kind and benevolent nature as evidenced by his generous gift to Passavant hospital during a campaign to raise funds for a new building. A room in the new \$2,000,000 hospital, dedicated to his memory will be a very fitting tribute to his life.

Bluffs Methodist Society Conducts December Meeting

Bluffs—The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Bluffs Methodist church met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Pine with Mrs. Paul Vannier as assistant hostess.

Roll call was answered with a Bible verse pertaining to the Christmas story. Mrs. Dora Graham, Mrs. Jennie Huseman and the Rev. Kenneth Douglas were guests.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Fay Main and the lesson was given by Mrs. Donald Morris assisted by Mrs. Margaret Watson and Mrs. Vannier. Christmas carols were sung throughout the program.

During the business session with the president, Mrs. Guss Andres, presiding it was decided that a gift of mixed nuts would be sent to the Cunningham Children's Home at Urbana. Contributions were made to the local church and parsonage budgets. Plans were completed for the serving of the potluck supper for the Chaddock Boys' Choir from Quincy Sunday evening. The meeting adjourned with a prayer by Rev. Mr. Douglas.

Refreshments of cranberry sherbert and cookies with coffee were served by the hostesses.

FORMER CASS COUNTY MAN DIES IN INDIANA

Chandlerville—Word was received here Saturday afternoon of the death of a former Chandlerville resident, Daniel J. McCarthy of Hammond, Ind. Mr. McCarthy passed away at 1 p.m. Saturday at his home, after suffering a heart attack.

Born in Chandlerville, he graduated from the local high school with the class of 1896. He is the brother of Mrs. Mamie Mullen and Miss Hannah McCarthy of this community.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning in Hammond. Burial will be Wednesday in the Alton cemetery, Alton.

RELEASED BY HOSPITAL
Mrs. John Jay Reeve, a recent surgical patient at Our Saviour's hospital, has returned to her home.

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